

Clash in China Appears Ended

Troops Withdrawing and Agreement Reached in Sudden Hostilities

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west of Peiping under an agreement designed to halt the conflict which broke out Wednesday night. Negotiations, which proceeded throughout the night in Peiping, ten miles east of the center of hostilities and itself under martial law, resulted in the agreement.

Under its terms the Japanese agreed to evacuate their troops from the right bank of the Yungting river to the left bank north-east of the Peiping-Hankow railway.

Chinese authorities agreed to withdraw their troops to the right bank of the river.

Firing is resumed.

Chinese Accused

A dispatch from the Peiping said firing was resumed this morning but the Domei (Japanese) news agency reported it was a Chinese attack on withdrawing Japanese which was a justified peacefully.

The agency reported the Japanese sustained three casualties in the attack.

The Japanese government sent a vigorous protest to the Nanking government over the conflict which was the most extensive between Japanese regulars and Chinese since 1923.

Hostilities, centering around the 900-foot Marco Polo bridge over the Yungting river, started Wednesday when firing broke out during Japanese maneuvers near the bridge. Both sides said the other fired first.

The Japanese government in its protest demanded reparations for three Japanese noncommissioned officers killed and a dozen soldiers wounded. It also asked guarantees against similar occurrences in the future.

Japanese naval units were ordered to stand by for any emergencies.

Following withdrawal of the opposing troops from the trouble zone, Japanese said the incident would be placed in the hands of diplomatic negotiators.

President Roosevelt Opens All-Star Game



Hurling "a high, hard, fast one," President Franklin D. Roosevelt officially started the annual major league All-Star game at Griffith stadium, Washington, D. C. The American leaguers went on to win 8-3. Shown above, left to right, are the president, his son James, Clark Griffith, Bill Terry, manager of the National league team, and Joe McCarthy, American league manager.

Palatinate After the Arab General Strike

Palatinate after the Arab general strike last year, reported yesterday a plan to divide the Holy Land into an Arab state, a Jewish state, and a British mandate territory.

The report was greeted with widespread disapproval in Jerusalem, where both Arab and Jewish leaders protested bitterly against the principle and the terms of the proposed partition.

Jews, said the liberal Evening Star, should realize that "half a loaf in peace and with the prospect of more is better than bread eaten amid strife and desolating bitterness."

Mains Project in City Is Launched

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main would be completed because of the uncertainty of large WPA crews being available.

Construction of the filtration canal on Stayton island to increase the underground water supply will be finished within a month barring equipment delays, leaving 30 to 60 days in which to flush the infiltration galleries thoroughly and test them.

Other units of the new system are being developed rapidly. WPA crews drilling a tunnel through solid rock on Fairmount hill to carry the main pipeline to the new reservoir have reached the half-way point and are moving ahead at good speed, the water manager reported. The tunnel will extend along Rural avenue from Fairmount avenue all the way to the reservoir on the west side of the hill.

Plans are under way to complete a ring of large mains around Fairmount hill to improve fire protection for the separate water system which serves residents of the high level district. A six-inch main will be laid along South commercial street from Lincoln street to Rural.

Elsewhere in the city numerous mains ranging from four to six inches are being laid ahead of paving projects. Work of this nature is to be completed on Bush and Owens streets from Commercial street one to two blocks east. A six-inch main is to be put in along Donna avenue in Columbia addition from Fairground road to a fire hydrant two blocks to the west and a four-inch line carried from that point to connect at Columbia street. The latter line will connect with a Myrtle avenue main to eliminate several dead-ends in that district.

Comet to Return After Long Time

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., July 8 (AP)—A great comet, which hasn't visited the earth for possible one hundred—perhaps a thousand—years, was heading back tonight and may become visible to the unaided eye late this month.

Harvard astronomers said they were not able to rebuild enough of the comet's orbit to determine how many years ago it last swung within sight of the earth.

Dr. Fred L. Whipple, Harvard scientist, predicted the object would reach its maximum brilliancy about August 10.

Leland Cunningham of the Harvard observatory staff predicted it would first become visible to the naked eye shortly after midnight July 13 and would attain its maximum brilliancy within about 50 million miles of the earth.

Offer Is Renewed By Seattle Paper

SEATTLE, July 9 (Friday)—(AP)—The Seattle Star, offered a peace plan by the striking American Newspaper Guild, countered early today by reiterating its own proposal which the guildsmen refused Wednesday.

Preparing to resume publication under police protection today after being strike-bound since Saturday, the Star management conferred with guild representatives on the latter's proposal.

After the meeting, the management announced it held open its previous offer to retain on its payroll 19 circulation employees until the national labor relations board determines whether they should be under jurisdiction of the guild or the teamsters' union.

This was one of the points in the proposal offered by the guild last night, after it previously rejected such an offer.

Puyallup Strike Is Ended Quickly

PUYALLUP, Wash., July 8 (AP)—The strike called by the cannery workers union at the Hunt Brothers Packing Co., employing 200 persons, lasted but one day. The plant reopened today.

Union and company officials agreed the strike settlement was a compromise, including some of the union's demands, but providing for the unregulated work week for men demanded by the company. A 60-hour week for women was provided.

Flying Boat Hits Piling, Coos Bay

MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 8 (AP)—A 12-passenger flying boat, piloted by Tony Schwamm, damaged its left wing striking a piling at an oil company dock on Coos bay tonight. It will remain a few days for repairs before continuing to Seattle to enter service for the Alaskan airways.

The plane, Italian made, was en route from New York where it was purchased. It landed here from Eureka, Calif.

Steamer Aground Off Pigeon Point

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9 (Friday)—(AP)—Two coast guard patrol boats were ordered today to Pigeon Point, 48 miles south of San Francisco, where the freighter West Mahwah, was reported aground. The ship was reported in no immediate danger.

The coast guard cutter Alexander Hamilton, anchored in Santa Cruz bay less than 20 miles away, and the cutter Ariadne, from San Francisco, were sent to Pigeon Point.

Details of how the vessel went aground and whether it is in danger of sinking were not reported in the first SOS.

The West Mahwah, owned by the McCormack Steamship Co., left San Francisco at 7 p. m. for Los Angeles with general cargo.

The West Mahwah is a 3467-ton net craft. E. A. Jansen is master of the ship.

Aunt Mary Routs Burglar, Molalla

MOLALLA, July 8 (AP)—It takes more than a burglar to rattle "Aunt Mary" Robbins, 90-year-old resident here.

Awakened by a noise in the dining room of her home yesterday "Aunt Mary" arose to investigate. She was surprised to find a man.

"What are you doing here?" she asked, unafraid.

"I want something to eat," the man replied.

"Now you get right out of here and come around and ask for it right," she declared and ordered him to "git!"

The prowler fled through the open window where jimmy marks indicated he forced his entrance.

'Crimson O' Will Present 2 Plays

MONMOUTH, July 8.—Crimson O dramatic club players will present two plays Friday night at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of Oregon Normal school. A drama: "The Prairie Doll," written by Edward C. Carpenter, has this cast: Kenneth Lunday as Mr. Quarrie; Sam Mallicoat as George Prentiss; Enod Phelps as Alberta Bradley. Director is Helen Kobenstein.

"The Bride Wore Red Pajamas," a lively comedy written by Harold J. Kennedy, has this cast: Frances Greenlee as Virginia Richter; Ruth Fulgham as Mrs. Richter; Warren T. Elliott as Gerry Wilson; Jack Power as Lord Percy; and Alvin Hulse as Ben.

Ekwall to Decide Coos Bay Dispute

MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 8 (AP)—The united state department of labor named William Ekwall, Portland attorney and former congressman, as arbiter in the dispute between the Coos Bay Lumber company and the International Longshoremen's association. It was learned here today.

Arbitration was agreed upon following picketing last May which brought three weeks idleness to 1200 employees.

The controversy involves loading of company-owned ships at the mill here.

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Blames Police



Flatly contradicting testimony given before the senate civil liberties committee by Chicago police, who blamed strikers for causing the Memorial Day clash in which 10 were killed, Ralph Beck, reporter and eye-witness, blamed police for the affair when he testified, above.

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Reckless Driving Charge Is Faced

MARVEN G. SCOTT, 270 North 20th street, faced reckless driving charges after he had been arrested at Church and Ferry streets by Officer C. W. Edwards. Scott was also charged with having no operator's or chauffeur's license.

In municipal court, Scott took time to enter a plea. He was released upon \$100 bail.

Bellingham News Strike Is Ended

BELLINGHAM, July 8 (AP)—The five weeks' old strike of members of the Bellingham local No. 101 of the American Newspaper guild which forced suspension of publication of the Bellingham Evening News June 3, was settled tonight following withdrawal of pickets at the plant earlier in the day.

Terms of the settlement were "mutually agreeable to all parties concerned." George Hipkoe, guild president, said, but neither he nor Publisher S. N. Harrison made public the terms. Harrison also declined to say when publication would be resumed.

New Daily Schedule

Effective July 10
SALEM-BEND
Via N. Santiam Highway
Lv. Salem 10 A. M.
Ar. Bend 4:35 P. M.
HAMMAN Stage Lines
For Additional Information Phone 4151—Senator Hotel Stage Terminal.

Air Circus Here Is Huge Success

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announcer's stand on the field after their performances. William Hurst, 66, a veteran transport pilot who lives near Salem and holds license No. 64, was introduced. He still flies a plane as well as he ever did, he stated.

The Salem Cherokees, sponsors of the circus' appearance here, were on hand at the airport in uniform to handle ticket sales and to direct traffic. Salem police, state troopers and boy scouts also assisted.

The Salem high school band played several numbers during the program which preceded the flying.

The fliers of the sky circus, who have been appearing in eastern Oregon, said they had been "flying in dust the last six days" and were pleased to present a show yesterday in the clear air of this section. The show came here from Pendleton, and will next go to Marshfield, then Astoria, and will appear at Swan Island, Portland, on Sunday.

Palestine Ruling Objections Faced

LONDON, July 8 (AP)—Despite critical outbursts of Jews and Arabs alike, the British government tonight stood by its plan to split Palestine into three parts and prepared to ask early League of Nations approval thereof.

Most British opinion seemed to be that the partition, aimed to bring an end to 15 years of Arab-Jewish conflict in the Holy Land, was the least of a choice of evils. Most of the British press backed the government.

The British royal commission, which investigated disorders in

The Call Board

CAPITOL
• Today—Double bill, Glenda Farrell in "Fly Away Baby" and Bill Boyd in "North of the Rio Grande."
ELSINORE
• Today—Double bill, "History Is Made at Night" with Charles Boyer and George O'Brien in "Hollywood Cowboy."
HOLLYWOOD
• Today—Johnnie Mack Brown in "Trail of Vengeance" and "Circus Girl" with June Travis and Bob Livingston.
• Today—Harold Bell Wright's "It Happened Out West" with Paul Kelly.
• Saturday—Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery in "Slave Ship."
STATE
• Today—Easter circuit vaudeville and Charles Ruggles in "Mind Your Own Business."

Dance Mello Moon

SAT. NIGHT FEATURING DAN FLOOD and His 11-Piece Jaantzen Beach Orchestra
Admission 35c and 40c Ladies Free until 9:15

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4 Big Acts!
—Headlining—
The Animal Act Supreme!
Capt. Franke and His Wire Walking Dogs
WORLD'S GREATEST TRAINED DOG ACT — SEE IT!
TOMMY TUCKER
The Original Hollywood Sound Effect Man — "Surprises" He's Different
The Laughs Come Thick and Fast—with **JOE MAYE and His Stooges**
Broadway's Favorite Comedy Star!

And Then for Thrills—**Blanton & Brown**
TOPNOTCH ATHLETES — in — **"TUMBLING THRILLS"**
STATE THEATRE

On the Screen **CHARLIE RUGGLES** **"MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS"**

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questions and debate, shutting himself up in his shell and conducting the argument as he pleases?" asked Senator O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.).

"Yes," Pittman replied, "if that were not true, no filibuster would be possible."

The speakers of the day were senator Logan (D., Ky.), charging again that the assertions made by the judiciary committee majority in reporting the original bill impugned the integrity of the president and Senator Minton (D., Ind.) who said the supreme court had "usurped" the power of congress.

ELSINORE
TODAY AND SATURDAY
BIG DOUBLE BILL!
Charles BOYER • Jean ARTHUR
"HISTORY
at NIGHT
— And 2nd Hit —
George O'Brien in "Hollywood Cowboy"
Mickey Mouse Mattinee Sat. 1 P. M.
Starts Sun.—Gable in "Parnell"

TOMORROW!
They broke every law of the 7 seas... every law of God and man... in the traffic of humans!
BAXTER BEERY
in **"SLAVE SHIP"**
with Elizabeth ALLAN Mickey ROONEY Peter LORRE
20th Century Fox Picture
Ends Today Harold Bell Wright's "It Happened Out West"
SALON NEW **GRAND** OWNED THEATRE

CAPITOL
TODAY AND SATURDAY
TWO BIG FEATURES
"FLY AWAY BABY"
W. B. Picture
Dir. by F. McDonald
— And 2nd Feature —
NORTH OF THE RIO GRANDE
WILLIAM BOYD